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GUS F. MEYER DROPS DEAD ON THE STREET

Gustave F. Meyer who lives just outside the southern limits of the city between the two roads leading to the bridge dropped dead at the corner of Front and Dewey streets at 3:30 yesterday afternoon. Mr. Meyer approached E. W. Mann, who is running a jitney, and asked if he was going out to the fair grounds soon. Receiving an affirmative reply, Mr. Meyer stated he must go to the depot, but would return in a few minutes. He started to turn around, uttered a groan and fell dead. There was not a struggle, and his face was as peaceful looking as though he was asleep. He was picked up and carried into the Postal telegraph office, and later conveyed to the Maloney undertaking rooms. The sudden death of this old and respected citizen came as a shock, for though well advanced in years his health had always been excellent. Mr. Meyer came to North Platte more than thirty-five years ago, and for several years conducted a restaurant on the site now occupied by his building leased by R. R. Dickey. Later he moved to a farm eight or ten miles southwest of town, where he resided until six or eight years ago when he erected and occupied his late home. Mr. Meyer was a splendid man, honest, and upright and ever a good citizen. He is survived by Mrs. Meyer alone, and to her the sincere sympathy of many friends is extended. Arrangements for the funeral had not been definitely concluded this morning, but the services will be held Sunday afternoon and probably at the Lutheran church.

Dry Meeting This Evening.

The flying squadron of the Nebraska Dry Federation, which is making a tour of the entire state, will reach North Platte this evening and hold a meeting at eight o'clock. The squadron will be met at Brady by a number of North Platte men, and escorted to the city. Meetings will be held at Brady and Maxwell enroute.

Maxwell Car Sales.

C. M. Trotter, agent for the Maxwell cars, reports the following sales this week: C. M. Robbins and L. L. Green, North Platte; Peterson Bros. and Ed Preitauer, Brady; Harry Schriver, Maxwell; C. F. Tollefson, Sutherland; Mrs. Nightingale, Wellfleet.

Kennedy This Afternoon.

J. L. Kennedy of Omaha, republican candidate for United States senator, arrived this morning and will speak at the fair grounds at 1:45 this afternoon. He will have a message to deliver to the people that will be well worth hearing.

The idolized Mary Pickford is the beloved Madame Butterfly in a magnificent and faithful production of one of the tenderest character creations ever conceived—"Madame Butterfly." In this celebrated role Miss Pickford attains her supreme photoplay triumph. This will appear at the Keith Saturday night.

F. W. Cross has started the erection of a modern \$4,000 house on his lots on east Third street which he purchased a number of years ago of the late Gus Hesse.

C. W. Burkland, of Sutherland, spent the early part of the week in town visiting friends and transacting business. The Keith county fair will be held October 3d to 6th.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. D. A. Russell left last evening for Brady to visit her sister for several days.

Mrs. Gregory Schatz left this morning for Denver, where she will visit her daughter.

For Rent—Rooms for light house-keeping. 521 east Third. 74-2

Mrs. E. N. Inman who has been visiting her parents at Parson, Kan., will return home next week.

The regular commercial dinner will be served at the Christian church Monday. Everything good to eat.

Headquarters for Window glass. STONE DRUG COMPANY.

Mr. and Mrs. Sigel Melton, living near Wallace, were visitors in town yesterday and attended the fair.

Mrs. Joseph Weeks, of Grand Island, formerly of this city, came last evening to visit her sons for a week.

Mrs. L. E. Stewart came from Grand Island last evening to visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDermott this week.

Wanted—To trade a Chalmers six for a house in town. Phone 91.

George Sherwood, of St. Louis, formerly of the local machine shops, is spending a few days here with friends.

Charley Dixon returned last evening from Chicago, where he spent four months attending a school of optometry.

Frank J. Dunn who has been taking treatments at the Mayo Bros. hospital in Rochester, Minn., returned home this morning.

For Rent—Modern rooms, including heat. 115 east Eighth street. Phone Red 188.

Mrs. Homer Handley, of Poole, who spent several days with her mother Mrs. Ida Tarkington, left last evening for Lodge Pole.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Mavorish, of Sutherland, came down a few days ago to visit the former's sister Mrs. A. J. Frazier and attend the fair.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Charles Whelan. 731f

A car of pears will arrive the first of next week, \$1.85 per bushel. For further information phone 879 or call at the family grocery, 416 south Walnut.

Word received today from Joe Schatz, who is at Elceisor Springs taking treatment for rheumatism, states that he is now improving rapidly.

AK Chapter P. E. O. will open their meetings for the year with a reassembling luncheon at the home of Mrs. E. S. Davis Wednesday afternoon of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hart and daughter are visiting at the home of Mrs. Hart's mother, Mrs. Lena Salisbury, while enroute home from eastern points.

Dr. Brock, Dentist, over Stone Drug Store.

The Gass outfit has about completed the work on the north river dam northwest of town which had been delayed by high water. A few days ago the water in that river for some unaccountable reason became quite low.—Sutherland Free Lance.

Ernest Calling, of Gothenburg, is visiting friends in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Damer, of Sutherland, are attending the fair this week.

Dr. Foote, of Omaha, was here yesterday to assist in surgical work at the Nurse Brown hospital.

All children whose parents are Yeomen are asked to meet at the Yeoman hall Monday evening at 4 o'clock.

The John Kellher lot on east Third street was purchased this week by Engineer William Welsh, who will have a bungalow erected.

The Entre Nous club members were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Asa Snyder. The first prize was won by Mrs. Guy Cover and the guest prize by Mrs. Joseph Jessup.

The directors of the Country Club will meet this evening to inspect and decide on the plans of the new club house which have been submitted by Architect G. P. Prinz, of Omaha.

Weather forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Fair tonight and Saturday; warmer tonight. Highest temperature yesterday 57 a year ago 61. Lowest last night 30, a year ago 41.

The Indian Card Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. R. Morey. Mrs. F. J. Wurtzle and Mrs. Arthur Hoagland were awarded the prizes and Mrs. N. E. Buckley was taken into the membership.

The high school football schedule as at present arranged is: October 13, Curtis at North Platte; October 20, Cozad at Cozad; October 27, Kearney at North Platte; November 10, Lexington at Lexington; November 24, Lincoln at Lincoln; November 30, Thanksgiving Day, York at North Platte.

Sixty members of the Masonic order attended the school of instruction held Wednesday by Grand Custodian Robert French, of Kearney. Lectures were given on the Master and Entered Apprentice degrees. At six-thirty p. m. an elaborate banquet was served in the reception hall by the Gem Candy Co. The tables were prettily decorated.

Wanted—Girl for general housework, small family, 109 west 2d. 72-3

We understand that Bruce Brown and family are to occupy the Mrs. Parsons property on the south side as soon as Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Fetter move to North Platte. Mr. Brown is the new owner of the Maxwell and Brady Telephone Company, and for several years has been manager of the Bell system at North Platte. Mr. Brown will take complete charge here October 1.—Brady Vindicator.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Rhone 38, Mrs. J. S. Simms.

An effort is on foot toward establishing daily local freight service in this district. The proposition has been taken up with some of the U. P. officials who ask a little time to take it up with their superiors. This has been granted and a reasonable time will be given. If the service is not forthcoming in the manner in which it has been taken up, petitions will be sent to every town along the line to be signed by the merchants and shippers and these will then be sent to the state railway commission. The service has become such that action of this nature is necessary.—Hershey Times.

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MARRIED FIFTY YEARS—CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Mason on Wednesday of this week celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary, having been united in marriage near Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, September 27th, 1866. Their home at 703 east Fifth was prettily decorated with yellow dahlias, and the bride and groom of fifty years ago each wore a big yellow flower. All their children were home, and all enjoyed a big turkey dinner, just such as was served at the wedding feast a half century ago.

During the afternoon many of their friends called to extend congratulations, and by some of them episodes and experiences of life in the earlier days of North Platte were recalled and recited.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason are pioneer settlers of western Nebraska and Lincoln county. They located in Frontier county in the early seventies, and took a homestead, part of the land now forming the site on which is located the state agricultural college. After remaining there for a year or two they came to North Platte, and Mr. Mason accepted employment in the Union Pacific shops, and for over thirty years was a faithful employee. He resigned six or eight years ago and was placed on the employees' pension list.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason are highly esteemed citizens and that they have lived to celebrate the golden anniversary of their happy married life is a source of pleasure to all friends.

Kinkaid Comes Tomorrow.

Secretary Souder, of the republican county central committee, received word yesterday that Congressman Moses P. Kinkaid will spend tomorrow in North Platte visiting friends and meeting as many of the voters as possible. As now arranged Congressman Kinkaid will visit the fair but will not make a speech.

Races Today and Tomorrow

Today—2:30 trot, half mile saddle race, half mile bundle race, mile pacing race, quarter mile pony race, mule wagon race, two mile relay race. Tomorrow—2:15 pace or trot, potato race on horses, free for all trot or pace (race horses barred), novelty auto race, five mile motorcycle race, ten mile auto race.

Freight Rate Increase

Unless the temporary injunction issued by the federal court is made permanent, freight rates from Omaha to North Platte will be increased on October 25th. The present rates on the three classes are 60.4, 49.7 and 42 cents. Under the new rate they will be 77, 65.4 and 53.9 cents. The case will be heard Monday in the federal court at Sioux Falls.

Presbyterian Church.

A communion service will be a part of the morning worship. Sunday school at 10 o'clock; at the close of Sunday school a brief service for the children.

At the evening service there will be given the first of a series of talks on the "Ten Commandments," subject, "Thou Shalt Have No Other Gods Before Me."

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Ross Hosford Married

Ross L. Hosford, of this city and Miss Laura Pearsall, of Blue Rapids, Kansas, were married at the home of the bride last week and have returned here to reside. The groom has been employed as a railroad mail clerk for several years and is well known among the local people. Mrs. Hosford spent several months here two years ago visiting Mrs. George Peck. Friends are extending congratulations.

FOR RENT

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The grand matron of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Josephine Swigert, will visit Signet Chapter No. 55, on October 5th.

Sheriff Salisbury received word Wednesday that U. G. Smith, formerly of this city, had plead guilty to the charge of white slavery at Enid, Okl., and that he need not go there as a witness.

Christian Science society Sunday 11 a. m. Sunday school 12 m. Wednesday evening meetings 8:00. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Building & Loan building, room 25.

Bell Prairie Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryker, of Guide Rock, are visiting their son Roy Ryker.

No Sunday school was held at the Bell Prairie school house last Sunday, as quite a number attended the Sunday school convention held at Dickens that day.

Mrs. T. E. Moore and children visited a few days in North Platte last week at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Howard.

Mrs. Bartels, of Montana, who held a series of meetings at Echo and Bell Prairie school houses, expects to return home in the near future to dispose of her property there with the view of taking up the work of the gospel somewhere in the east. We hope she will decide to locate in this part of Nebraska as we appreciate the work she has done here and the way in which she brings the gospel before the people. She preaches the straight Apostolic Holiness doctrine. G. E. M.



CONGRESSMAN M. P. KINKAID
CANDIDATE FOR RE-ELECTION

The replevin suit of I. J. Show vs. James Carpenter to obtain possession of a team of horses and wagon came up for trial in the county court Wednesday afternoon. J. D. Anderson, of Hershey claimed that the property did not belong to either and that they were his possessions. The case was continued until October 4th.

While working on a ditch check this morning J. W. Liles accidentally slipped and fell striking his right arm on a heavy plank and breaking one of the bones between the elbow and the wrist. The accident is a painful one and Mr. Liles will be laid up for some time.—Hershey Times.

The quarantine for infantile paralysis was lifted from the Robert Armstrong home Wednesday and the house thoroughly fumigated. Physicians say that little Dorothy who was ill with the disease will not return to her normal condition for six months.

WANTED

Good girl for general housework, apply 412 west Fourth street.

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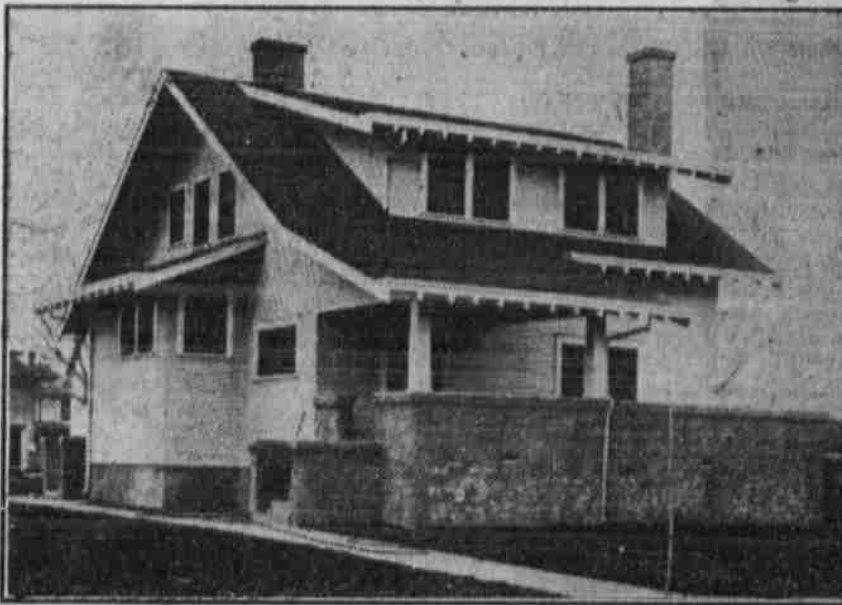
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